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New Advertisements.

Radcliffe and Shepheard,

Under the FIRM of

CHARLES SHEPHEARD & Co.

Have opened a STORE at *Jacksonborough*,

In the House formerly possessed by Mr. MOSES DARQUIER, *deceased, and lately occupied by Messrs.* JOHN TUNNO & Co.

Where they have sent up

A large Assortment of Goods,

Most of which they lately received, in the last Vessels from ENGLAND, and have not been opened in TOWN.

They intend keeping an ASSORTMENT *up, at the said Store;* And, as their Goods will be purchased on the BEST TERMS, they flatter themselves, they will give Satisfaction to all those who may be pleased to favour them with their Orders.

They intend selling at the *Charles-Town* PRICES.

Amongst many other ARTICLES, are the following:

IRISH and Russia Linens; Cambricks and Lawns; 6-4, 8-4, and 10-4 Huckaback, Damask, and Diaper; *Marseilles* Quilting; *Flanders* Bed-Tick, Bed Bunts; Calicoes, Cottons, printed Cambrick, and Linen: Stockings of all Kinds and Sizes; Womens and Girls Stuff and Leather Shoes and Pumps; Women's neat Clogs; Furniture and other Checks; Threads of all Kinds; Men and Women's Silk, Thread, Worsted, and Leather Gloves; white, black, and other coloured Silk and Worsted Breeches Patterns; Jacket Ditto; plain and flowered Satins, and a few other Silks; fashionable Ribands; Silk Cloaks and Shades; Scarlet Cloaks and Cardinals; Broad Cloths and Trimmings; low-priced *Yorkshire* Ditto; Durants, Tammies, Poplins, Alapines, and Cambletts; checked and printed Handkerchiefs.

A great Variety of Glass, China, Queen, and Stone Ware, Iron Pots, and Iron Pestles and Mortars; all Kinds of Plantation and other Tools and Iron Ware; Brass and japanned Candlesticks; Table Knives and Forks; Fowling and Plantation Guns; Casks of assorted and other Nails; Cotton and Wool Cards; Powder and Shot; Men and Boys Beaver and Castor Hats; white and blue Plains; tipt and plain long Pipes; Pigtail and Oronoko Tobacco; Mahogany Tea-Chests; Cheese Trays; Knife Boxes, and Cats; Chair Harnesses; yellow Oker, and white Lead ground in Oil; Lampblack; Bohea, Green, and Hyson Tea; Loaf Sugar; *Jamaica, West-India,* and *Northward* Rum; brown Sugars;—some exceeding fine Claret and *Madera* Wines; superfine Flour, in Whole and Half Barrels; Water and Butter Biscuit, &c. &c.

N. B. Their Store in *Charles-Town* is still continued; where they have most of the same Kinds of Articles as above-mentioned, which they will dispose of on the LOWEST TERMS.

JUNK,

To be SOLD at GADSDEN's *Wharf,*

At Eight o'Clock on *Friday* Morning next,

The TWELFTH of FEBRUARY, *Instant,*

In LOTS.

Some of which may be worked up again; the Rest will do for Spun-Yarn, Points, Gaskets, and Oakum.

Samuel Prioleau, jun. & Co.

An OVERSEER,

Of an unexceptionable Character, is wanted for an Indico Plantation. Apply to MILES BREWTON, or

PIERCE BUTLER.

On THURSDAY *next the 11th Day of* February,

Will be SOLD by public Outcry,

At the Vendue House in *Charles-Town,*

At TWELVE o'Clock at Noon,

Twelve LOTS of LAND,

In ANSONBOROUGH, *viz.*

Four Lots fronting on the broad Road, each Fifty-two Feet and an Half, by one Hundred and Sixty-one;—five Lots on St. *Philip's-Street,* each fifty Feet and an Half, fronting on said Street, and from one Hundred and Fifty-eight to one Hundred and Seventy Feet deep;—three Lots fronting *George-Street,* each Forty-two Feet and an Half, by two Hundred and Fifty-two Feet and an Half. The Conditions of the Sale are, twelve Months Credit (if desired) paying Interest, and giving approved Security.

The above Lands are the Property of Mr. PETER STEVENSON. The Titles, and a Plan of the Whole, may be seen in the Hands of ROBERT WELLS.

On TUESDAY *the 16th Day of* February *Instant,*

Will peremptorily be Sold to the highest Bidder,

ALL that valuable and pleasantly situated LOT of LAND adjoining *Jacksonborough,* containing Six Acres, belonging to the Estate of Mr. JAMES FABIAN, deceased. There are now on the Premises, a snug little Dwelling-House, and other needful Buildings. The Terms will be made known on the Day of Sale.

JOSEPH FABIAN, *Executor.*

Will-Town, February 2, 1773.

DRIFTED from DEWEES's *Island,*

On FRIDAY *Night the 25th of* JANUARY *last,*

A large CYPRESS CANOW,

Twenty-six Feet long, and four Feet wide, with WD cut in her Stern, and the Date of the Year.—She is supposed to have drove out to Sea. Whoever takes her up, and delivers her to BRIAN CAPE, in *Charles-Town,* or to the Subscriber, in *Christ-Church* Parish, shall receive FIVE POUNDS Reward.

SIMS WHITE.

ATKINS & WESTON

Have just imported from GLASGOW,

A great Variety of GOODS;

Among which are the following, viz.

MEN and Women's SADDLES; Pigtail Tobacco; check Handkerchiefs; Lawns and Gauzes, both plain and flowered; Men's knit ribbed Thread Hose; turning Stays; Ounce Threads, &c. &c.

They have also just imported, GOODS from Bristol;

AMONG WHICH ARE,

Double *Gloucestershire* Cheese, *East-Coker* Sail-Cloth, Split-Pease, Vinegar, Iron Pots, &c. &c.

They have lately imported from LONDON,

Two large Cargoes of GOODS,

Of which the following are Part, viz.

A Large Supply of SILKS, both plain and flowered, among which are *India* Damasks, Lustrings, and Taffaties.—A great Assortment of Linens of all Sorts.—Gold and Silver Lace of the most fashionable Patterns.—A great Variety of flowered, striped, and plain Muslins; worked and plain Lawns.—Complete Suits of Tambour worked and Feather stitched Muslins.—Thread Laces and Edgings, among which is some fine *Brussels* Lace.—Black Silk, and Blond Laces. Silk Trimmings.—A large Supply of most fashionable Ribands and Velvet Collars.—A good Assortment of well chosen Bed-Furniture, with Trimmings, and a few *Marseilles* Bed-Quilts, which are truly elegant.

A few Fire-Grates.—Sets of Tea and Table China.—Best Queen's Ware.—Looking-Glasses.—Silver, green, and Ivory handled Knives and Forks, in Mahogany Cases.

*** Their late Importations have been very LARGE, and their Assortments GENERAL; and as they buy their Goods on the BEST TERMS, and design constantly to keep up a LARGE STOCK, so their Customers may depend on being as well supplied by them, as they could be by any House in this Province.

RED and WHITE PORT,

Lisbon and sweet Mountain WINES;

By the Montagu, *Captain* Pickles, *from* LONDON,

To be SOLD,

By EDMUND HEAD,

ALL Persons who have any Demands against the late Partnership of HEAD & GIBALL, are desired to send in their Accounts immediately, for Payment.

Those indebted to them, are requested to make Payment as soon as they can, to the Parties themselves, or whom they shall authorize. They caution all, not to trust any Person in either of their Names without an Order.

Charles-Town, February 2, 1773.

IF NICHOLAS LEE, who came here some Years ago, from *Newry* in *Ireland,* be living, and will apply to the Subscriber, he may hear of Something to his Advantage. If he is dead, and any Person will give Proof of it, they will do an Act of Justice and Kindness to some poor People, and receive Thanks, from JOHN POAUG.

JOHN LOGAN,

WILL DISPOSE OF

The following LANDS, *viz.*

HIS valuable Rice Plantation in St. *Bartholomew's* Parish containing near fourteen Hundred Acres, adjoining Lands of Mr. *John Singelton,* the Estate of Mr. *Edward Hext,* and Mr. *William Baker.*——The Purchaser of this Land, may have about Thirty-five working Negroes, if he thinks proper to purchase them.

Two Hundred Acres in the said Parish, near *Jacksonborough,* adjoining Lands of *Edward Fenwicke, James Simmons,* and *David Greene,* Esqrs. The greatest Part of this is fine Swamp.

Five Hundred Acres in *Purrysburgh* Township, adjoining Lands of Messrs. *Bourquin, Strobhart,* and *Britton,* and *Savannah* River. This Tract abounds with Cypress, white Oak, and other Timber, and will be sold a GREAT BARGAIN.

Twelve Hundred Acres in *Craven* County, near the Head of *Santee* River, about eight Miles from *George-Town,* adjoining Lands of Messrs. *Bonneau, Shute, Lewis, Belem,* and *Bosards.* Part of this is as good inland Swamp as any thereabouts, and the Rest fine Rice Land.——Any Person inclinable to purchase any of the above Lands, may apply to him, or WILLIAM LOGAN.

RUNAWAY,

The Tenth Day of last DECEMBER,

A Country-born tall, slim Negro Wench,

Named CATHARINA, about Twenty-seven Years of Age, very plausible and sensible, a good Seamstress and House-Wench; is much pitted with the Small-Pox, and carried away with her a Mustee Child (her Daughter) about Six Years old.—As she hath a Father, (named ROBBIN, belonging to Col. *Beale*) a Mother (a Free Wench) named LETTICE, in Charles-Town, and Sisters, with other Relations, in the Province of GEORGIA (belonging to the Hon. *James Habersham,* Esq;) it is probable she may be harboured by some or other of them.——Whoever will deliver her to the Subscriber, or to the Warden of the Work-House, in Charles-Town, shall receive a Reward of TEN POUNDS, with all reasonable Charges.—And a Reward of TWENTY POUNDS, will be given on Information of her being harboured by Slaves, and ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, if by white Persons or Free Negroes.—The Reward to be paid on Conviction of the Offenders, by JAMES AKIN.

DUBLIN, NOVEMBER 17.

WE hear from good authority, that application hath been made from the castle to the Lord Mayor, to prevail upon him to procure a complimentary address from the Court of Aldermen, and to give the same his sanction, to be presented to Lord Townsend at his departure, which address was to be obtruded upon the corporation of the city as their act. To the honour of our worthy chief magistrate he disdained to be the abettor of such a base proceeding, saying, he would give nothing as the sense of his fellow-citizens which was not really so. The Sheriffs likewise declined interfering. Many of the Aldermen were offered a douceur, to be paid out of the concordatum, [*charity-money*] and to be disposed of by them as they thought fit, in order to secure their concurrence. Some of them refused, and we have not heard of any who accepted it. This repulse has caused no little discontent to our departing Viceroy.

LEEDS, *November* 21. A few nights ago a regular Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons was held at the Star in Watergate-street, the city of Chester, when a woman, who lodged in the house, concealed herself in a press in the lodge-room, in order to satisfy a painful curiosity she had a long time imbibed of discovering the reason of their secret meetings; but the ever wary and careful fraternity making a timely and secret discovery of the place of her concealment, assembled themselves within her hearing, and after repeating the punishments which they always inflict on every person whom they detect prying into their secrets, opened the press and took her out, almost dead with the apprehensions of what she was to suffer, which had such an effect on the humanity of the brethren then present, that they unanimously agreed to dismiss her, without doing her any other injury than that of a severe reprimand for her folly.

LONDON, NOVEMBER 21.

A letter from Vienna, dated October 27, says, "By advices from Constantinople of the third of October, we learn, that the Seraskier of the Black Sea, who set out the beginning of last May with nine ships and some half galleys, upon an expedition to the coast of Crimea, returned the 20th near Buquekdere, with six ships, without waiting for the others; in consequence of which the Grand Signior, not content with his conduct, has taken all his employments from him, and it is even said he is strangled.

The place of Collector of the city of London's duties in the port of London, of about three hundred per annum value, is declared vacant, for which there are several candidates; the appointment is in the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council.

Thursday morning, about five o'clock, one Robinson, a washer-woman, near 70 years of age, who lodged in Cloth-fair, got out of the bed, dressed herself, and went to the new river head, near Islington, and drowned herself. The reason assigned for this rash action is somewhat extraordinary; she had, for some time, conceived a violent passion for an old cobler in the neighbourhood, who refused to cherish it, or give her the least encouragement.

The evening before the return of the Sheriffs, Alderman Crosby declared to Mr. Wilkes, at a private meeting of his friends, that he would lose his election through George B——, *the privy counsellor of the present Lord Mayor,* who was resolved, *right or wrong,* according to the usual malevolent practice of that gentleman, that he should not be chief magistrate.

However Mr. Wilkes's debts were compounded, our correspondent says he don't know; but assures us, that the only debt remaining due was six hundred pounds, which was last week discharged; so that now he is a clear man from any thing but his *enemies'* invectives, which cannot cease whilst his *merit* lasts.

Notwithstanding Sawbridge has pleaded an error in judgment, in scratching for Mr. Townshend, it is said he is going to retire to the abbey of La Trappe, by way of penance for his error.—Pity he had not followed his sister's advice.

Lord Lyttelton said not long since, in a public company, when the chit turned upon assisting our fellow creatures, that the Princess Amelia was even charity itself, without enthusiasm, and gave away her whole annual income to that purpose, after defraying her household expences.

The better sort of people, especially those in the commercial way, are daily emigrating from Dantzick with their effects, which they get in with as much caution and secrecy as they can, dreading the further designs of our northern enterprising Alexander.

Extract of a Letter from Italy, October 31, 1772.

"By letters from Parma, we are informed of a circumstance which is expected to make some noise, viz. that the Duke of Parma has dismissed his Minister, M. de Llano, whom the Court of Spain had appointed to that office in the room of Marquis de Felino. When the Duke informed M. de Llano that he had no further occasion for his services, that Minister replied, that having been nominated to his office by the Courts of Madrid and Versailles, he could not resign it without their permission. The Duke, however, gave him to understand, that he must set off immediately for Madrid, telling him at the same time, that he (the Duke) had need of a *Minister,* and not of a *Tutor,* and that it was beneath the dignity of a Sovereign Prince to have a Prime Minister who was a foreigner. The Minister was obliged to set out immediately for Madrid; and the Duke issued a decree to inform his subjects that Llano had no further authority in his dominions.—All Italy is impatient to hear how the two Courts above-mentioned will stomach this resolute proceeding."

NOVEMBER 24.

A few days ago, when the Lord Mayor was talking to Mr. Alderman Plomer of the dignity of the chair, the Alderman spiritedly replied, "I had rather been hanged up at Tyburn than have obtained the Mayoralty in the base manner you got it."

The Lord Mayor, Mr. Oliver, and Parson Horne, now talk of Mr. Sawbridge in the most contemptible manner, and the orders given to Mr. Horne, are to serve him up in the public papers as often as he can. For this purpose the Parson attends the Lord Mayor much more constantly than his Chaplain; but the Chaplain comes openly in broad day-light to the Mansion-house, the Brentford Parson steals in at the back-door by night.

NOVEMBER 27.

Yesterday the House of Commons, with their Speaker, returned from their own House from the Lords, about half an hour after two o'clock, when his Majesty's speech being twice read, the Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick moved for an address to his Majesty in the usual form, being what custom has prescribed, and little more than an echo to the several paragraphs of the speech. He prefaced this motion with a speech, of which the following abstract contains every thing material: That the af-

fairs of the East-India Company were in the moſt alarming and ruinous ſituation; that the immediate and ſpeedy interpoſition of Parliament was become highly indiſpenſible to their preſervation; that the Company had agreed with government, in the year 1769, to pay them the ſum of 400,000l. when the dividend was made at twelve per cent. and in proportion till it fell to ſix, when that payment was made to ceaſe: that that being the caſe, and the preſent inability of the Company ſo notorious, it would be neceſſary to make ſome proviſion adequate to that deficiency; That ſo far from the Company being able to make a dividend of either twelve or ſix per cent. at the end of the next half year, it would be an act of the higheſt fraud in the Directors to divide a ſingle ſhilling: That the war which had continued for ſome time between two of the greateſt powers of Europe, was happily approaching to a concluſion: that, however, was but a matter of little or no conſequence to Great-Britain; as, thank God, the ideas that formerly governed the Britiſh councils in matters of this nature, no longer exiſted: that the changes which had taken place in other countries, ſtill concerned us leſs, except to point out to us, how happy we were in being governed by a Prince, who prized his people's liberties above every other conſideration whatſoever. He next expatiated on the various advantages ariſing from the enjoyment of a ten year's peace, and the happy proſpect of its long continuance.—Here he went a little out of the way, to compliment the memory of his deceaſed uncle, and to remind the *people of England* what everlaſting obligations they were under to him, for the happy enjoyment of theſe laſt enumerated bleſſings.—He then concluded, by remarking, that the preſent appearance of a ſcarcity of all kinds of grain, merited the utmoſt attention of the legiſlature, to whom only they could properly look for relief; and he doubted not but their own feeling would ſuggeſt every thing that human wiſdom could ſuggeſt, to alleviate and obviate the preſent impending miſeries, that however human wiſdom was in many inſtances limited, and muſt ſubmit to the over-ruling decrees of Providence, and that he ſhould be ſorry that the people in general expected too much from Parliament, or that it was in his power to controul Omnipotence itſelf. Mr. Fitzpatrick was ſeconded by Mr. Burrell, who went over the ſame ground, with very little variation, except that he remarked, in very ſevere and pointed terms, on the conduct of the Eaſt-India direction, particularly their dividing ſo large at the end of the laſt half year, when they muſt be no ſtrangers to the true ſtate of the Company's affairs. They were anſwered in a ſhort ſpeech by Mr. Huſſey, in reſpect to Eaſt-India matters; and the queſtion being then put on the addreſs, it was carried without any oppoſition.

The ſpeedy calling of the Parliament is from no other reaſon, we are well aſſured, but to make good ſome way or other the deficiency in the ſupplies of this year; which, by the failure of caſh in the Eaſt-India Company, amounts to eleven hundred thouſand pounds; ſeven hundred thouſand pounds of which they owe for duties to the Crown, and the other four hundred thouſand by the contract Lord Chatham made with them.

It is certain that a great northern Empreſs has diſcarded her late favourite for a new one, though ſhe has loaded the former with honours. The new one (who is uncommonly handſome, and about twenty-four) has taken poſſeſſion of the apartments in the palace lately occupied by his predeceſſor, and ſeems to have gained an entire aſcendency over the affections of his miſtreſs.

If a union takes place between England and Ireland ſoon (which all the ſenſible and diſpaſſionate part of that kingdom are really deſirous of) they will have no occaſion there of an Engliſh *Banker* to ſupply them with caſh, who, in the end, muſt drain them of the *little* they have left, which the intereſt for the loan muſt do. Poor Sir G—— is defeated, or likely to be ſo, every where.

Worſhip-ſtreet, Upper Moorfields. We have in this neighbourhood a woman who has given a remarkable teſtimony of her love to her country and true religion. In the year 1745 ſhe made a vow, that if God would be pleaſed to drive the Pretender out of this kingdom, ſhe would eat no fleſh as long as ſhe lived: which vow ſhe has now kept 27 years, and ſays ſhe will eat none except her life depended on it. Which of your patriots will imitate this?

LONDON, NOVEMBER 28.

The tranſition of the affairs of a great Company into the hands of government is inevitable; and the following are the conditions upon which that important meaſure will take place. That Government will aſſume all the territorial poſſeſſions of the Company into their protection, and ſuffer the commercial trade to remain in their hands.

Politicians predict the deſtruction of Great-Britain from the acquiſition of India. It is remarkable that the moſt powerful empires upon earth have been ruined by the riches of that Quarter. It will not, therefore, be ſurpriſing if Great-Britain ſhould alſo receive her firſt wounds from thence.

A correſpondent expreſſes great concern at the news from the Leeward Iſlands, to find that every thing in the Weſt-Indies is blown down, as in the Eaſt he finds all is blown up, and in the North all the ſpecie of Scotland is vaniſhed in the air.

DECEMBER 1.

The affairs of the Civil Liſt, we hear, are at preſent ſo much embarraſſed, that no leſs a ſum than 100,000l. will put them on even a tolerable footing.

About the middle of October the Grand Signior's ſecond ſon died at Conſtantinople, of a contagious diſtemper. The Sultan has now only one ſon and heir.

It is reported that Lord Townſhend will be created an Iriſh Marquis, by the title of Marquis of Leixſlip.

DECEMBER 3.

Yeſterday the Houſe of Commons, being in a committee (Sir Charles Whitworth in the chair) took into conſideration the ſupplies for the enſuing year. Mr. Buller moved that 20,000 ſeamen, including 3454 marines, be employed for the ſervice of the year 1773, at four pounds a man per month, including pay, victualling ordinaries of the navy and ordnance. He was ſupported by Lord North, Mr. Dyſon, Mr. Cooper, Wellbore Ellis, Mr. Townſhend, and Sir William Meredith, who agreed that the motion was made with great propriety, according to the cuſtom of Parliament. Lord North ſaid, that when the fleet, which is now at the Eaſt-Indies, was come home, the number of our ſeamen ſhould be reduced. He was anſwered by Mr. Burke, and Mr. Cornwall, who objected to the employing ſo many men in time of profound peace, as the King's ſpeech ſays, or elſe it means nothing. Mr. Burke obſerved, that the noble Lord ſaid, that when the ſeamen returned from the Indies, then the naval force ſhould be reduced; I ſhould be glad to know (ſaid he) if the noble Lord would tell us what they are there for; if peace, let me have a peace eſtabliſhment; if war, tell us ſo, and not keep us in the dark; as for the Miniſter's ſaying, truſt it to us, they are the only people I would not truſt. Sir Edward Aſtley only got up juſt to obſerve, that when our own ſailors were diſcharged, they entered into foreign ſervice; he expreſſed his wiſhes, therefore, that ſome way were found out to keep them from doing that. After the debate which laſted till ſix o'clock, 20,000 ſeamen was granted without a diviſion, and ordered to be reported this day.

DECEMBER 7.

A letter from Poland, dated Nov. 20, ſays, "It has been mentioned that the nobility of Great Poland had aſſembled and choſen Prince Anthony Sulkowſki for their chief. This aſſembly having diſpleaſed the Miniſtry at Warſaw, orders were ſent to that Prince to diſſolve it; to which he ſent an anſwer by letter, but the reaſons which he alledged againſt the diſſolution not being ſatisfactory, the commiſſion of war ordered him to join his regiment in 30 days at Kaminieck, which is 80 leagues diſtant from the place where the aſſembly was held."

We hear, among other things, that notwithſtanding the groſs revenues actually collected laſt year within the Eaſt-India Company's territories amounted to 3,500,000l. no more of that immenſe Sum came into the Company's Aſiatic treaſury than 284,000l.

Letters from Spain adviſe, that the Court of Madrid diſapproves of the conduct of the Duke of Parma in ſending back the Miniſter which that Court had allotted. Theſe letters add, that his Catholic Majeſty had expreſſed his diſſatisfaction by re-calling his Miniſter; and it is further ſaid, that the ſubſidy which Spain pays to the Court of Parma will be withdrawn.

Frankfort, November 23. Some letters of good authority mention, that the peace between Ruſſia and the Porte will ſoon be concluded on, as the former of theſe powers does no longer inſiſt on the independence of the Crimea.

LONDON, DECEMBER 9.

It was reported the other day, in a coffee-houſe, that the Lord Mayor was ſo much in earneſt as a patriot, that he offered to enter into an engagement with the Miniſtry to reduce the price of proviſions, and would enter into any ſecurity for the performance. I don't doubt it, ſays a by-ſtander; for I believe he has been long ſince looking out for a government contract.

It is ſaid that diſputes have run very high among ſome of the Miniſtry upon the preſent buſineſs about the dearneſs of proviſions. A leader inſiſted, that the revenue would be ſo much affected by the ſeveral plans which had been offered for reducing the price, that it was not in his power to give any relief. Good Heavens! cries Lord ——, would you have the poor ſtarve for fear of reducing the revenue? The King's buſineſs, cries the leader, is our firſt object, and nothing can go well if the revenue is diſtreſſed. The lower claſs of people, cries a third Lord, have always been called Patriots, but they are likely now to be truly ſo; as it is the height of patriotiſm to die for the good of a country.

DECEMBER 10.

Monday laſt Serjeant Glynn ſat for the firſt time as Recorder of London. His charge to the Grand Jury was exceedingly pathetic, elegant, and inſtructive, accompanied with copious eulogiums on the bleſſings this country enjoys over all others, in having the freedom of trial by a Jury of their Peers.

Lord North was aſked ſome days ſince, what would be the fate of the India Company now depending in the Houſe? When my Lord ſaid, as a commercial body they ought, as they knew beſt how, to manage their own affairs; but if they had ſtretched further, if government was their plan, of which they were a part, they ſhould not uſurp an authority inconſiſtent with their profeſſion.

WARSAW, *November* 24. Baron de Stackelberg, the Ruſſian Miniſter here, hath received ſome diſpatches, dated the 11th inſtant, from M. Obreſkow, Miniſter Plenipotentiary of the Empreſs of Ruſſia at the congreſs of Buchareſt, which adviſe, the negociations of Peace have already been reſumed; and that on the 9th of this month, it was agreed with the Turkiſh Plenipotentiaries to prolong the armiſtice till the 20th of March next, except in Georgia and Mingrelia, where, on account of the diſtance of thoſe provinces, the ſuſpenſion of arms is to continue a month longer. According to all appearances the peace will be happily concluded before that time on a ſolid and permanent foundation.

LONDON, DECEMBER 12.

It is talked that terms have been at laſt propoſed, through the mediation of Great-Britain, to the three great Powers who have ſeized upon the ſeveral parts of Poland, which, it is thought, will induce them to withdraw the forces, and be the means of reſtoring unanimity and peace to that diſtracted nation.

We are aſſured, by letters from a neighbouring country, that ſuch is the dreadful ſtate of their finances, as well as their domeſtic affairs, that they are on the actual eve of a civil war. Madame de Barré carries it with ſo long a hand, that not a favour can be obtained, nor an appointment filled up, but through her intereſt and interceſſion, except in the Chancellor's department, who is her declared enemy, and will neither have any concern with her or her friends.

We learn from Paris, that the King of France is preparing a new Chriſtmas-box for his ſubjects, and that he intends to clear all his debts in January, 1773. The eſtabliſhments of *Billets d'Eclat*, a production of the Chancellor, is upon the carpet; the Abbé Terray having exhauſted all his reſources, and being unable to face the expences of government, the engravers and printers of the Louvre are preparing to coin paper money for twelve hundred thouſand millions of livres, and a declaration of the King is under the preſs for the ſame purpoſe. That the loweſt billet will be 300 livres, or 12 guineas and a half, and the higheſt 21,000 livres, or 1000 guineas; the moſt comfortable article of the declaration is, that the King will eſtabliſh a cheſt of ſavings, to which one hundred millions of this annual revenue will be brought in every year, and which will ſerve to diſcharge an even ſum of theſe new fabricated *billets*, and ſo on every year, till the whole ſhall be cleared. By theſe means it is pretended all the penſions, ſuppreſſed and ſtopped, will be reſtored; an excellent act for the creditors of the French government! we farther hear, that this ſcheme having been known, all the deputies of the trading towns in France, reſiding in Paris, have received orders to oppoſe it; and the petitions, remonſtrances, &c. of the new Parliament, on the ſame ſubject, are ready digeſted.

Yeſterday Mr. Pultney, in a committee of the Houſe, explained the motives of the bill to ſecure to foreigners the ſums of money lent on eſtates in the Weſt Indies, and obviated the many objections that were made to it laſt year. He then moved, that ſome witneſſes might be called in and examined at the bar, touching ſeveral of the facts he had ſtated. Accordingly, Mr. Fairholme, ſpeaker of the Aſſembly at Tobago, and Mr. Harris, a merchant in this city, were called in, and underwent an examination, from a little after four till paſt ſix o'clock. The members who moſtly put the queſtions to them were Mr. Pulteney, Mr. Roſe Fuller, Mr. Alderman Oliver, and Mr. Jennings.

The following is the ſcale of prices in bills ordered in from the reſolutions of the committee appointed to inquire into the preſent ſtate of the corn trade.—The importation is to take place when wheat is at 48, rye 32, barley 24, and oats 18s. per quarter.—The exportation is prohibited, when wheat is at 44, rye at 28, barley at 22, and oats at 16s. per quarter.

DECEMBER 14.

On friday a general Court of Proprietors of Eaſt-India ſtock was held at their houſe in Leadenhall-ſtreet, on account of a bill juſt brought into Parliament for ſuſpending the corporate act of the Company; when, after a full enquiry into this matter, it was almoſt unanimouſly agreed to preſent a petition to Parliament, declaratory of the rights of their charter, and praying to be heard by conſel before the bar of the H— ſe; which petition it is ſaid will be preſented by the chairman and deputy-chairman to-morrow

We hear that an expenſive ſuit is inſtituted, and many motions have been made in Chancery, reſpecting the eſtate and effects of the late Mr. Alderman Beckford.

DECEMBER 16.

Since the laſt ſeſſion 35 appeals have been entered before the Houſe of Peers, ſixteen of which are from Scotland, nine from Ireland, and ſix from the High Court of Chancery.

A few days ſince a very droll accident happened at a church in Southwark. Whilſt the parſon was marrying a couple, the intended bridegroom was ſeized with a relaxation of ſpirits, and frankly confeſſed to the clergyman, that he had a wife and children in Berkſhire. This extraordinary incident was the means of depriving him of a fine lady, poſſeſſed of a large fortune.

Extract of a Letter from the Hague, December 3.

"The laſt letters from Hamburgh mention, that the city of Dantzick is under freſh alarms on account of the King of Pruſſia's having granted to the inhabitants of the three ſuburbs the privileges of citizens, by which thoſe of the city itſelf will be great ſufferers; and alſo on account of his Pruſſian Majeſty's being determined to repair and render ſerviceable the harbour of Camming, which being at the mouth of the Odor, will prove a conſiderable check to the trade of the Dantzickers."

DECEMBER 17.

Though a powerful navy is undoubtedly the bulwark of this kingdom, yet it is much apprehended, by the true lovers of their country, that ideas of œconomy will ſo far predominate over real prudence, as to effect its reduction.

A letter from Utrecht, dated December 10, ſays, "The Count Vander Boetzelaer, member of the body of Nobles of this province, and their deputy in the aſſembly of the States-General, died here yeſterday, aged 83.

Extract of a Letter from Paris, December 4.

"M. de Maneville, a gentleman of Normandy, who was arreſted and carried to the Baſtile, is accuſed of having excited ſeveral gentlemen of his province not to pay the taxes.

"A Farmer General, whom we cannot name, has juſt failed, but for what ſum is not known yet.

DECEMBER 19.

The queſtion being yeſterday called for, Whether the Eaſt-India bill ſhould paſs, the Houſe divided, 153 for it, and 28 againſt it. The bill then was filled and ordered up to the Lords, when the Houſe broke up a little before twelve, and adjourned to monday.

This day a deputation of members carried up the above bill to the Houſe of Lords for their concurrence, where it was read a firſt, ſecond, and third time, and the ſummonſes were immediately iſſued out for the Houſe to meet again on Monday, when his Majeſty will go to the Houſe to ſign the Eaſt-India, Land-Tax, and other bills that will then be read.

This day the Houſe of Lords ſat on purpoſe to receive the Eaſt-India bill.

It is certain that a motion will be made in the Court of Common-Council, by a real patriot, for every member of that Court, for the future, to qualify themſelves for their ſeat on oath. The qualification, to be either the abſolute poſſeſſion of 100l. per annum freehold eſtate, an annuity of 150l. per annum, or an annual return in trade of upwards of 600l.

A certain hon. gentleman, who was lately preſented at Court upon his nuptials, is ſaid to be already married to another lady, by whom he had ten thouſand pounds, which he has diſſipated, and now has abandoned her.

INTELLIGENCE EXTRAORDINARY.

WE hear the whole body of ſextons throughout the kingdom are preparing a petition to Parliament, praying that the diſtillery may not be ſtopped, as any reſtriction laid upon that trade would be the utter ruin of them and their families; three parts in four of thoſe that come to their warehouſes, being obliged to the diſtillery for their paſſports thither; not to mention, that the more they bury, the fewer will remain to eat; and of courſe, that the free toleration and licence of making, vending, and diſtributing ſtrong liquors in every part of Great-Britain, is the only remedy that can poſſibly render proviſions cheap.

New Advertiſements.

Charles-Town, February 1, 1773.

THE Commiſſioners of the Provincial FREE-SCHOOL, having this Day viſited the ſame, were pleaſed to expreſs their entire ſatisfaction with the Progreſs of the Scholars, and their Approbation of the Maſter's Conduct.—They were at the ſame Time pleaſed to appoint Mr. WILLIAM JAVINE (whoſe Care and Diligence in teaching Children in *Charles-Town*, hath already been experienced) to be *Writing-Maſter* and *Uſher* to the ſaid School, in the Room of Mr. SAMUEL CAMPBELL,—*And ordered* public Notice to given thereof, for the Encouragement of ſuch Perſons as may be inclined to put their Children to the Provincial Free-School for their Education. *By Order of the Board,*

James Johnſton, Clerk.

For BRISTOL,
THE SHIP
LIBERTY,
JOHN LASLEY, Maſter,

WILL be ready to ſail in ALL this Month.—For Freight or Paſſage, having excellent Accommodations, apply to EDWARDS, FISHER, & Co.

For OPORTO,
THE SHIP
St. GEORGE,
JOHN MUIR, Maſter.
(*To SAIL in* ALL *this* MONTH)

FOR Freight or Paſſage, having good Accommodations, apply to ſaid Maſter on Board, at *Motte*'s Wharf, or to

Jamieſon, Simons, & Co.

For POOLE *and all the* MARKETS,
SPAIN *or* PORTUGAL,

THE SNOW
SWIFT,
Samuel Glover, Maſter,

BURTHEN about Seven Hundred Barrels of Rice.—For Freight agree with the ſaid Maſter, or MILES BREWTON.

The following Strays have been tolled before me, viz.

A Strawberry roan MARE, about four Years old, and thirteen Hands high; branded on the mounting Shoulder JW; ſhe has a ſmall Star in her Forehead, her fore Legs bend back. Trots and paces.

Alſo, A brown bay HORSE, about twelve Years old, and twelve Hands high; branded on the mounting Buttock O, much Saddle marked, and has a ſmall Star in his Forehead. A Trotter, and had on a Bell much patched.

Alſo, A brown bay MARE, about eight Years old, and twelve Hands high; ſome Saddle Marks, and a ſmall Bell on, but no perceivable Brand. Trots and paces.

The Owners of the above Strays, muſt prove their Property before JAMES LINDLE, J. P.

CHARLES-TOWN, FEBRUARY 8.

TO Morrow and Wednesday are the Days appointed for our general Election of Representatives. The ſame Gentlemen, we hear, will be put up Candidates for Charles-Town as were laſt elected.

It has been obſerved, that, *of late*, the People in this Province who have a Right to vote for Repreſentatives, have been too inattentive to that high and inеſtimable privilege—inſomuch, as to put it in the Power of *deſigning Perſons*, if ſuch there had been amongſt us, to obtrude upon them Men capable of ſacrificing their Liberties.

Mr. William Rugeley is, by the Right Hon. Charles-Greville Montagu, appointed Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for George-Town, in the Room of Roger Peter-Handaſyde Hatley, Eſq; deceaſed.

Yeſterday ſe'nnight Sir John Niſbett, Bart. Mr. Robert Stott, Merchant, the Rev. Mr. Piercy (ſent out by the Counteſs of Huntington, to ſettle ſome Matters at the late Orphan-Houſe, now Academy, in Georgia, and afterwards to preach in the different Colonies, in the Manner of the late Rev. Mr. Whitefield) Mr. Fowler Briſbane, and ſeveral other Paſſengers, arrived here from London, in the Montagu, Capt. Pickles.

There alſo lately arrived here, from the Northward, the Rev. Mr. Pilmor, a Methodiſt Divine, after the Manner of Mr. Weſley, who preaches at 6 o'Clock every Evening, at the old Baptiſt Meeting-Houſe.

Laſt Tueſday put into this Port, the Ship America, Capt. Moodie, from Dublin, bound for North-Carolina, and the Brigantine Betty, Capt. Wood, from Whitehaven for George-Town; which laſt ſailed again on Friday.

On Thurſday laſt arrived here, in the Eagle Packet-boat, Capt. William Nichols, from Falmouth, his Excellency Sir JAMES WRIGHT, Bart. and Family, on his Return to his Government of Georgia, for which, we hear, his Excellency intends to ſet out To-morrow.

On Tueſday the 5th, the ſpecial Commiſſion for enquiring into the attacking, plundering and burning His Majeſty's Scooner Gaſpee, was opened and proclaimed in the Court-Houſe at Newport, Rhode-Iſland, and the Commiſſioners continued ſitting on the 12th.——According to Lord Dartmouth's letter, all the Delinquents, are to be ſecured on board his Majeſty's Ships, and *ſent over to England, to be tried THERE.*

This Morning died, much regretted, Capt. John Thompſon, Maſter of the Snow Swift, of Poole, who has uſed this Trade ſome Years, and always bore ſo good a Character, that he was eſteemed by every one who knew him.

The Demand for Rice is yet briſk at 60*ſ.* per 100lb.—The Sale of Indigo ſlow, at 25 to 30*ſ.* the beſt Sort.

The Quantity of Rice cleared ſince the 1ſt of November laſt, to this Day incluſive, is 43,767 Tierces; 33,062 Tierces were cleared in the ſame Period laſt Year.

The Quantity of Indico cleared this Seaſon, from this Port only, is 613,202 Pounds, of which 62,447 lb. are on board the Carolina, Capt. Beſnard, for London.

The Veſſels in this Port being reckoned laſt Thurſday, there were found to be (including two Men of War and a Packet-Boat) 31 Ships, 7 Snows, 1 Bark, 25 Brigantines, 26 Scooners, and 16 Sloops.—In all 109 Sea-Veſſels.

*** *Several* NEW ADVERTISEMENTS, *&c. are left out for Want of Room, but ſhall be inſerted in our next.*

☞ As it has been intimated to us, by many of the Encouragers of this Gazette, that it would be of more general Uſe to the Public, if it could be publiſhed on MONDAYS—particularly on Account of the public VENDUE DAYS being every *Tueſday* and *Thurſday*: We therefore, being always ready and deſirous to contribute, by every Means in our Power, to the Emolument and Convenience of our Cuſtomers, have determined that this GAZETTE ſhall, in future, be publiſhed REGULARLY every MONDAY, inſtead of *Thurſday*—of which, thoſe who intend to ADVERTISE therein, will pleaſe to take particular Notice, ſo as they may not be diſappointed, or the Publication delayed.

THOMAS POWELL & Co.

Timothy's Marine Liſt.

Jan.	Arrivals at Charles-Town,	*From*
26*th.*	Sloop Charles-Town, Daniel Monro,	Rhode Iſland
29*th.*	Scooner Prince of Wales, Joſeph Harrington,	Grenada
31*ſt.*	Ship Montagu, William Pickles,	London
	Sloop Rachel, Joſeph Seymour,	Bermuda
Feb. 1.	Ship Morris, Thomas Bell,	Liſbon
	Scooner Liberty, Richard Churchill,	Georgia
2*d.*	Ship Liberty, John Laſley,	Falmouth
	Ship America, James Moodie,	Dublin
	Brigt. King-George, John Finglaſs,	St. Kitts
	Brigt. Betty, William Wood,	Whitehaven
	Brigt. Lowther & Senhouſe, Mathew Williamſon,	Dublin
	Snow Swift, John Thompſon,	Poole
	Sloop Black Nell, John Cannon,	Virginia
	Sloop Ark, George Luſher,	Barbados
	Sloop Suzy & Nancy, Thomas Newbold,	Jamaica
3*d.*	Snow John, Hugh Cuthbert,	Dominica
4*th.*	*Snow Eagle* (Packet) *Capt. William Nicholls,*	Falmouth
	Snow Milham, James Whitefield,	Whitehaven
	Brigt. Mary, William Leaycraft,	St. Kitts
	Sloop Diſpatch, Ephraim Gilbert,	Hiſpaniola
5*th.*	Scooner Suky and Betſy, John Doran,	St. Auguſtine
6*th.*	Ship Mary, Andrew White,	Gambia
	Ship Yeamans, John Harbiſon,	Antigua
	Brigt. Joſeph & Mary, Job Pray,	St. Kitts
	Brigt. Union, Joſeph Lee,	Salem
	Scooner Experiment, John Darrell,	Bermuda
	Scooner Amelia, Patrick Barry,	St. Kitts
8*th.*	Brigt. Brothers, John Walker,	Whitehaven
	Ship Bell, Alexander Porterfield,	Boſton
	Snow Grizzie, John Sprut,	Dunkirk
	Brigt. Morning-Star, George Dempſter,	Philadelphia
	Scooner Dolphin, John Peck,	George-Town
	Scooner Hannah, Oliver Hull,	Providence
Jan.	Sailed,	*For*
29*th.*	Ship Lillies, Hercules Angus,	Liſbon
	Brigt. Jenny, Robert Eſon,	Liſbon
	Sloop New-York Packet, Jeſſe Hunt,	New-York
31*ſt.*	Scooner Dove, William Laverdy,	Sierra Leon
Feb. 2.	Scooner Savannah-Packet, John Turner,	Georgia
	Brigt. Betty, William Wood,	George-Town
	Scooner Dolphin, Thomas Bowditch,	Martinique
	Scooner Polly & Betſy, Samuel Stone	Georgia
7*th.*	Ship Charming Polly, Robert Morſon	Antigua
	Snow Providence, Abraham Maſon,	London
8*th.*	Ship Harrietta, Thomas Randall,	Cowes
	Ship Sally, John Oſman,	Cowes
	Brigantine Expedition, Iſrael Munds,	Falmouth
	Scooner Louiſa, Joſiah Williams,	Senegambia
	Sloop Experiment, John Sawyer,	St. Kitts
	Remain windbound or cleared,	*For*
	Ship Carolina, John Beſnard,	London
	Ship Lady Gage, Thomas Farmer,	Cowes
	Ship Baltic Merchant, John Hall,	Cowes
	Ship Pennſylvania Farmer, Charles Robeſon,	Cowes
	Ship George, Alexander Alexander,	Cowes
	Ship Hopewell, John Martin,	Cowes
	Ship Charming Sally, George Fortune,	Briſtol
	His Majeſty's Ship Savage, Capt. Bromage,	Bahama's
	Ship America, James Moodie,	North Carolina
	Brigt. Hanover-Planter, William McCulloch,	London
	Sloop Nancy, John Earl,	Rhode-Iſland
	Sloop Unity, Joſeph Pitt,	Barbados

Near loaded, or may full before this and our next.

Ship Pearl, Richard Tucker,	Goſport
Ship Glaſgow, Alexander Marquis,	Cowes
Bark Beſs, Richard Perrey	St. Vincent
Brigt. Benjamin, Jacob Cronenſcheldt,	Antigua
Brigt. Bolton, John Harr,	Philadelphia
Brigt. Prince of Wales, William Moore,	Philadelphia
Brigantine Neptune, William Thomſon,	Jamaica
Scooner Sally, John Roberts,	Barbados
Scooner Betſy, Thomas Ellis,	Providence
Sloop Phœnix, John Dickinſon,	Guadaloup
Sloop Jamaica Packet, David Tines,	Bermuda
Sloop Deſire, Prince Gorham,	St. Kitts
Sloop William, William Ritchie,	Antigua
Sloop Active, Francis Dickinſon,	Jamaica
Entered out before the above,	*For*
Ship Juno, Joſeph Farrington,	London
Ship Magna Charta, Richard Maitland,	London
Ship St. George, John Muir,	Oporto
Ship Daniel, Robert Bryſon,	Cowes
Ship Morris, Thomas Bell,	Cowes
Ship Lord Dunluce, James Gillis,	Cowes
Ship Fair American, John Minſhall,	Cowes
Ship Britannia, James Clendinen,	Savannah
Ship George & James, Robert Service,	Liſbon
Ship Richmond, William Singleton,	Barbados
Ship Providence, James Ramſay,	Briſtol
Snow John, Hugh Cuthbert,	Dominica
Brigt. Lowther & Senhouſe, M. Williamſon,	Whitehaven
Brigt. Charles-Town Packet, Sam. Wright,	Philadelphia
Brigt. Betſy, Peter Schermerhorn,	New-York
Brigt. Freemaſon, John Semple,	Milford
Brigt. Lowther, Michael Powers,	Barbados
Brigt. Sally, William Cleiland,	Dominica
Brigt. Suſannah, Henry Smith,	Tapſham
Brigt. Nancy, William Jackſon,	Liverpoole
Scooner Seaflower, Edward Bacon,	Boſton

Other Veſſels in Port.

His Maj. Ship Gibraltar, Sir Tho. Rich, Com.	
Ship Peter & Ann, Thomas Blundell,	Goſport
Ship Live Oak, Andrew Lunberry,	Oporto
Ship Sincere Friend, Robert King,	Cowes
Snow Magdalen, John Dick,	Dunbar
Snow Good Intent, George Gould,	Liſbon
Brigt. Nancy,	Liverpoole
Brigt. Cumberland, Charles Henry,	
Brigt. Swallow, Thomas Anſley,	
Brigt. Grenada, Iſaac Scott,	Philadelphia
Brigt. Portland, John Pitt,	
Brigt. Conway, John Bowditch,	
Brigt. Friendſhip, Joſeph Blewer,	Philadelphia
Brigt. Betſy-Hendy, John Dow,	
Brigt. Content, Downing Wilkinſon,	Barbados
Schooner Wiſmenop, Durham Dunſcomb,	Antigua
Scooner Induſtry, John Moncrief,	
Scooner Lively, Holton Johnſon,	
Scooner Betſy, Walter Hatch,	Boſton
Scooner Polly, Iſrael Obear,	
Scooner Exchange, John Willis,	
Scooner Antigua Packet, John Henry,	Hiſpaniola
Scooner Little-Polly, Thomas Palmer,	Hiſpaniola
Scooner Polly, Alexander Gillies,	Jamaica
Scooner Tobago Packet, Iſaac Fordyce,	
Scooner Sally, Stephen Seymour,	St. Auguſtine
Scooner Four Friends, Gilbert Harriſon,	
Scooner Jehoidan, Benjamin Newton,	Providence
Scooner Palmer,	
Scooner Betſy,	
Sloop Little-Welcome, John Lambert,	Boſton
Sloop Wm. & Daniel, William Robinſon,	

Arrivals from this Port.

Ship Sally, Benjamin Berry,	*Briſtol*
Sloop St. David, John Todd,	*Barbados*
Sloop Lark, Benjamin Newbold,	*Barbados*

New Advertiſements.

To be SOLD,

On TUESDAY *the* 16*th of* February *Inſtant,*

A CARGO OF THREE HUNDRED *PRIME HEALTHY* SLAVES,

JUST arrived, after a ſhort Paſſage, in the Ship MARY, Captain ANDREW WHITE, directly from GAMBIA.

SAMUEL CHOLLET.

Charles-Town, Feb. 6, 1773.

*** The Term of Payment will be made entirely agreeable to the Purchaſers.

To be SOLD,

Two *London*-made CHAISES,

With Steel Springs.—The Tops take off occaſionally.

Alſo, A light WINDSOR CHAIR,

With HARNESSES complete.

For Particulars enquire of GEORGE HEWETT, Coach-Maker, in *Meeting Street.*

A WET NURSE,

With a good Breaſt of Milk, and without a Child,

Is WANTED on HIRE immediately,

One who has lately lain in, will be prefered. Enquire at the Printing-Office on the BAY, near the *Exchange.*

To be SOLD by private Contract,

THE HOUSE and LOT on the South Corner of *Tradd Street* on the BAY, lately poſſeſſed by Meſſrs. McKENZIE & TUNNO.—Its convenient Situation for Trade, being ſufficiently well-known, renders any further Deſcription unneceſſary.——For Particulars apply to

PETER BACOT.

MADERA WINES.

On WEDNESDAY the 17th Inſtant,

Will be diſpoſed of at public SALE,

A CHOICE PARCEL

OF

London & York MADERA WINES,

Near TWO Years old.

They are of an exceeding good Quality, much approved, and ſuperior to the Generality of Wines imported for Sale.

They muſt be ſeen in a Store of Mrs. BERESFORD, *on the Bay, and the Sale will begin preciſely at* Ten o'Clock *in the Forenoon.*

ROGEE SMITH.

☞ A Second-Hand RIDING CHAIR,

To be SOLD very CHEAP:

Alſo, A Cheſt of Carpenters Tools, complete.

To be SOLD,

A good SCOONER,

Burthen Ninety Barrels of Rice,

With two new Cables, and Grapnals; Canoe built, draws but four Feet and an Half Water when loaded; will carry Ten Thouſand Bricks, or Twelve Cords of Wood.

AND ALSO,

Three very ſtout, young healthy Negro Men,

Fit for a Coaſting Scooner, being uſed to going in Veſſels for theſe three Years paſt. Apply to

JOHN CHAMPNEYS.

N. B. A Parcel of Aſh Oars, Pitch, Tar, and Turpentine, to be SOLD by *Retail*—and a large FLAT to be HIRED out by the Day.

To be SOLD,

THE pleaſant and commodious HOUSE, in *Anſonborough*, where BENJAMIN GUERARD, Eſq; now lives.—The Lot is Two Hundred and Forty Feet in Depth, and Fifty-three Feet in Front.—The Houſe is Forty one Feet in Length, and Thirty-ſix Feet in Breadth, containing eight Rooms, neatly papered, and Cloſets in each, and has every Out-Building.——Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may, for further Particulars, apply to JOHN EDWARDS.

To be SOLD,

A LOT of LAND, pleaſantly ſituated at the South End of *King-Street*, containing Forty five Feet Front on the Eaſt Side of the ſaid Street, and One Hundred and Fifty-two Feet in Depth. For further Particulars enquire of POWELL, HOPTON, & Co.

On FRIDAY,

The ſecond Day of MARCH *next,*

Will be SOLD at public Vendue,

At the uſual Place in CHARLES-TOWN,

A Valuable Plantation or Tract of Land, ſituate in *Wateree* Swamp, on the Weſt Side of *Wateree* River, containing Three Hundred Acres, more or leſs; being the Plantation whereon *Mathew Gibbs* lately reſided, and granted to *Abraham Adams.*

Alſo, One Hundred and Fifty Acres of Land, ſituate in *Craven* County; butting and bounding, to the South-Eaſt, on Land of *Joſhua Cherry*, and on all other Sides on vacant Land, at the Time of the original Grant thereof: Late the Property of *Mathew Gibbs*, deceaſed, and ſold under Execution, by ROGER PINCKNEY, *late Pro. Mar.*

To be SOLD by public Vendue,

On WEDNESDAY *the* 24*th of* February *Inſtant,*

At the Houſe of the late CONRAD KYSELL, *in* King Street,

ALL the perſonal Eſtate of the ſaid Deceaſed; conſiſting of ſundry Houſhold GOODS, NEGROES, HORSES, and other Effects. The Conditions will be made known on the Day of Sale.

All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, are deſired to make Payment immediately; and thoſe, having Demands againſt the ſame, are requeſted to bring in their Accounts, properly atteſted, to ESTHER KYSELL, *Executrix.*

Who *again* requeſts all Perſons having Demands on the Eſtate of HENRY PULCHER, deceaſed, who have hitherto omitted to deliver in their Accounts, to do the ſame by the above Day; and thoſe indebted thereto, to make Payment—as all Debts due the ſaid Eſtate, remaining then unſatisfied, will be ſued for, without any further Notice, by ESTHER KYSELL, Executrix to the Eſtate of the ſaid Deceaſed.

On THURSDAY *the* 6*th Day of* MAY *next,*

Will be SOLD at public Vendue,

At the uſual Place in CHARLES-TOWN,

A Valuable Plantation or Tract of Land, formerly the Property of Mr. SOLOMON MILNER, deceaſed; containing Three Hundred and Fifty Acres, ſituated in *Craven* County, on *Wateree* River, near the Entrance of *Wateree* Creek, and is bounded, North Eaſtward, by the ſaid River, South-Eaſtward, by a Tract laid out to *Richard Gregory*, and another laid out to *Joſeph Cates*; South-Weſtward, partly by the ſaid *Cates*'s; and Northward, by Land vacant at the Time of the original Grant, the 27th of *July*, 1753. The ſaid Land is as good as any in thoſe Parts, either for Corn, Indico or Hemp. Any Perſon chuſing to view the ſaid Land, may apply to JOHN DUDES, living near it, on the other Side of the River. Credit will be given until *January*, 1774, on approved Security. GEORGE BARKSDALE, *jun.*

George-Town, Jan. 28, 1773.

ALL Perſons having any Demands againſt the Eſtate of JOHN CROFT, late of *Prince George's* Pariſh, deceaſed, are deſired to ſend in their Accounts, properly atteſted:—And thoſe indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, are requeſted to make immediate Payment, to

GEORGE CROFT, & Co. *Adminiſtrators.*

STOPT from a NEGRO,

Who was offering it for Sale Yeſterday Morning,

A GOLD RING,

The Owner may have it again, on deſcribing it, and paying Twenty Shillings for advertiſing. Enquire at the Printing Office on the BAY, near the *Exchange.*

At STOTT's

Manchester Ware-House in *Bedon's* Alley,

JUST ARRIVED

In the FAIR AMERICAN, *Capt.* MINSHALL, *from* LIVERPOOLE, *and the* MAGNA CHARTA, *Capt.* MAITLAND, *from* LONDON,

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

CUTLERY & HARDWARE,

Bought from the Manufacturers at Sheffield.

BROAD and narrow Hoes, Falling Axes, Socket Spades, Iron Wedges, and Nails of all Sorts, Mens fashionable Beaver Hats, Castor ditto, and a large Assortment of Felt ditto.

Black, Blue, and Olive Manchester Velvets and Velverets, Corde-du-Roys for Breeches, Yard and Ell wide; Marseilles Quilting, Bed Quilts, Cradle Quilts and Toilet Covers, trimmed and plain; Yard wide figured Dimities, India Dimities, Silk and Worsted Breeches Pieces, Silk, Thread, Cotton and Worsted Hose, Irish, Scotch and German Osnabrugs, a large Assortment of Garlix and Dowlas, Presson Linens in whole and half Pieces, a large Assortment of all Kinds of Manchester Goods.

N. B. All the above Goods were chose by *Robert Stott*, and most of them purchased of the Manufacturers, for Cash, and will be sold remarkably cheap.

MANSELL & CORBETT

HAVE IMPORTED,

In the Ship CAROLINA, *Capt.* BERNARD, *from* LONDON,

To be SOLD CHEAP,

At their STORE *in* TRADD-STREET,

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

European & East-India Goods,

AMONG WHICH ARE THE FOLLOWING:

SUPERFINE Broad Cloths, with suitable Trimmings; Narrow Cloths, *Bath* Coating, and Hair Shag; *Bath* Stoves, and handsome Grates, with Brass Furniture; Nails, Locks, Hinges, and other Ironmongery; double, single, and rifle Barrel Guns; Pistols, and Gun-Locks; Japanned Ware; Knives and Forks, and other Cutlery.

Saddles and Saddle-Trees.—Tin-Ware, Braziery, and Pewter Goods;—Marble Slabbs; Marble Pestles and Morters; Seln-Twine; Oakum; Paints, and Oil.—*Italian* Chairs and Chaises, *London* made.—Window-Glass, and other Glass-Ware; China in Sets, and otherwise.—Handsome Pier and Dressing-Glasses; Toilet-Glasses, in japanned Frames.—*Rogers's* and *Oronoko* Tobacco; Pickles and Basket Salt; single and double refined Sugar; Raisins; Currants; Almonds, and other Grocery.—Spices of all Kinds; Perfumery.—*Witton* and *Scotch* Carpets, and Carpeting; Feathers; Men's fashionable Beaver Hats; Corde-du-Roy, for Breeches; Cloaks and Cardinals; *Scots* Plaids; *London* Duffils; green and blue Plains.

Black, white, and handsome painted Satins; Brocades; Luftrings; Mantuas, and other Silks.—*Irish* Linens and Sheeting.—Osnabrugs; Dowlas; Garlix; Hessens, and Crocus.—Chintzes; Cottons; Calicoes, and printed Linens.—Checks and Bed-Furniture; Silk and Satin Petticoats; Gold and Silver Lace.—Hosiery of all Sorts.—Garden Seeds.—*London* Porter, and stout Ditto in Barrels.—*Cheshire* and *Gloucester* Cheese; *Port* Wine, and Arrack.

To be SOLD by private Contract,

A Lot of Land in *Hampstead*,

Fronting on COLUMBUS's-STREET, One Hundred and Sixty Feet, and in Depth Two Hundred and Forty-five Feet, with a NEW DWELLING-HOUSE thereon, near the Road.

GEORGE NODDINGS.

N. B. Any Person inclinable to purchase, may apply either to him, or to Mr. JOHN REMINGTON, jun. in *Elliott-Street*.

JOHN MICHAEL,

Brass-Founder and Copper-Smith,

Takes this Method to acquaint his Friends and the Public,

THAT HE HAS FOR SALE,

A Quantity of Brass Dogs, Tongs, and Shovels, of different Patterns; which he will dispose of as CHEAP as any that are imported, at his Shop in *Meeting-Street*, near the *State-House*; where he carries on the BRASS-FOUNDERY, COPPER-SMITH, and PLUMBING BUSINESS, in all its Branches.——He will undertake to execute any Work in the above Branches, as cheap as can be imported.

N. B. He will give the most Money for old Copper, Brass, and Lead; likewise 3*s.* 6*d.* per Pound for old Pewter.

RICE PLANTATIONS,

for SALE by private Contract,

TWO adjoining each other on *Cbulifinny Swamp*, distinguished in the Map of the Province, by the Names of *Palmyra* and *Elliott Forest*; they were originally run out in one Tract, but have been settled in two Plantations, one on the North, the other on the South Side of the Swamp, about a Mile distant from each other; they contain upwards of Five Hundred Acres each, and will be so divided that 350 Acres of good Rice Swamp will be for each Plantation. *Palmyra* is pleasant and healthy, being on a high Hill, which overlooks the Rice Land. The Forest is rather flat Oak and Hickory Land, where the Buildings are, and of the Rice Swamp not more than 30 Acres cleared, though there is a Branch of it almost surrounding the Buildings, which, with the 30 Acres of cleared Swamp, produced 280 Barrels of Rice four Years ago. *Palmyra* has 200 Acres of Swamp cleared, and has worked 40 Negroes several Years to Advantage. Vast Profit may be made by having Lumber in the Forest, as it abounds with the best black Cypress, and the Distance from *Coosawhatchie* Landing, which will admit the largest Coasting Scooners, exceeds not a Mile and a Half. *Palmyra* is two Miles from *Pocotaligo* Landing, which is as good as the former, and has 150 Acres of uncleared Swamp, where much Cypress may also be sawed for Market. The Soil of the Swamp is a blue Clay, and the Trees in it are Cypress, Tupelo, Maple, and Ash. These Plantations have been under Lease for several Years; one of them is now in the Possession of ROBERT WAGENER, the other is just vacant, but if not sold by the First of March next, will again be rented.

The Terms of Sale will be made as easy as possible to the Purchasers. Apply in CHARLES-TOWN, to

BARNARD ELLIOTT.

JONATHAN SARRAZIN

HAS JUST IMPORTED,

In the MAGNA CHARTA, *Captain* RICHARD MAITLAND,

A large and complete ASSORTMENT OF

Silver Plate and Jewellery;

Consisting of the following Articles, viz.

EPERGNES, Tea Kitchens and Urns, Coffee-Pots, Sugar Dishes, Slop and Punch Bowls, Mahogany Tea Chests with Silver Canisters, Silver Tea Chests, Waiters of all Patterns, from six to eighteen Inches Diameter, Cups and Covers, Tankards, Pint and Half-pint Mugs, Rummers, Bread Baskets, Tureen Sauce Boats and Butter Cups, Fish Trowels, Dish Stands, Salt Cellars of a new Pattern very elegant, Bottle Stands, Punch Ladles and Strainers, Wine Cranes and decanting Funnels, Candlesticks and Snuffers with Stands and Branches, Soop Table and Tea Spoons, Tureen Ladles, Castors in Silver and Wood Frames, Silver and green handle Knives and Forks in Shagreen and Mahogany Cases, Swords and Cutteaus, Gold and gilt headed Canes with and without Swords in them, best *London* Blade Penknives, Scissars and Razors with Straps, Bilence Bottles from 15*s.* to 30*l.* Pocket Books with Instruments in them, Tooth-pick and Pencil Cases, Silver and Paper Snuff Boxes, Patch Boxes, Silver Spurs of all Kinds; a large Assortment of Paste and Diamond Work, such as Ear and and Finger Rings, Necklaces and Bows, Stay Hooks, Breast Buckles, Shoe and Knee Buckles with real and mock Pearl Bows and Earings, Ladies and Gentlemens best Gold Watches, capt and jewelled, with Chains, Seals and Keys; Silver and Gold Prussian, Brocade and Spangle Hatbands, Loops and Buttons, and every Article in the Jewellery and Silversmiths Way may be had at his Shop on as reasonable Terms as has ever yet been sold in the Province, and as large a Discount allowed for *Cash*.

Empty Quart & Pint BOTTLES,

AND

Bristol WATER in Hampers,

To be SOLD,

By EDWARD GUNTER.

Choice *Philadelphia* FLOUR,

Just arrived in the Charles-Town Packet, *Capt.* Wright,

To be SOLD,

In any Quantity, not less than Ten Barrels, at *Six Pounds Five Shillings* per Hundred Weight, for *Cash* or *short Credit*.

Enquire of JOHN WEBB.

Who has for SALE,

Fresh Flour, in Half Barrels and Kegs; Water Biscuit in Kegs, and very good Chocolate.

THE COPARTNERSHIP of

BRAILSFORD & MUNCREEF,

Having expired with the YEAR,

THEY beg Leave to thank their Friends for the many Favours received:—And, as they would be glad to have the Concerns of the said Co-partnership closed as speedily as possible, they hope their Friends will further shew their Regard, by ordering them immediate Payment.

Their Stock of Goods remaining,

WHICH consists of many useful Articles, and but few which can be objected to, they will sell very reasonable, to any Person taking the Whole, and a proper Allowance made for CASH or SHORT CREDIT.

N. B. Bills of Exchange on *London* (if more convenient to the Purchaser) will be accepted as Cash.

JANUARY 1, 1773.

JAMES COURTONNE,

JEWELLER, in *Broad-Street*,

Has just imported in the ST. GEORGE, *Captain* MUIR, *from* LONDON,

An Assortment of Silver Plate & Jewellery,

CONSISTING OF

ELEGANT chased and plain Coffee and Tea Pots; large Milk Ewers, with Covers; Sauce-Boats, Tankards, Mugs, Tureen Laddles, Table and Tea Spoons, pierced and godrooned Salt-Cellars, with Shovels; Castors; Silver and green handled Knives and Forks, in Shagreen Cases; Swords, and Couteaux de Chasse; Silver, Gold, and Pinchbeck Shoe, Knee, and Stock Buckles; Paste and Stone Ditto; Diamond and Paste Rings and Ear-Rings; Silver and plated Spurs; Gold and Silver Loops and Buttons; Snuff-Boxes; a few Silk Umbrelloes, with a great Number of other Articles; which will be sold on very reasonable Terms for *short Credit*, and a considerable Discount allowed for *Cash*.

N. B. He continues to make and mend all Sorts of Jewellery, Motto and Mourning Rings, plain and ornamental Hair-Lockets, with Sprigs and Devices, in the newest Taste; and gives the utmost Value for old Gold and Silver.

WANTED,

An OVERSEER,

A single Man well acquainted with the Management of a Plantation, with a good Recommendation, to whom good Encouragement will be given. None but such is particularly desired to apply to me at my Plantation in St. *Peter's* Parish, near PURYSBURGH.

PAUL PORCHER.

THIS is to give Notice to all Persons who are indebted to the Estate of ROBERT CLARK, Saddler, deceased, to make immediate Payment; and those who have any Demands on the said Estate, are desired to send in their Accounts properly attested, on or before the First Day of April next, to MARY CLARK, *Administratrix*.

(At *Felix Long's* in KING-STREET.)

ROSS, Hair-Dresser,

Just arrived from LONDON,

DRESSES Ladies and Gentlemen's Hair in the newest Taste. *Also* makes Toupees, Braids, and Curls, in the neatest Manner, and according to the newest Fashions.——Ladies and Gentlemen will be waited on at their own Houses on the earliest Notice.

N. B. He may be heard of at Mr. TOUCH's, Taylor, in *Old Church-Street*, opposite to Mr. PARSONS's.

On THURSDAY,

The Eleventh *of* FEBRUARY *next*,

Will be SOLD at public Vendue,

At the usual Place in CHARLES-TOWN,

The Remainder of the Boat Negroes,

Belonging to the Estate of Mr. *Benjamin Roberts*, deceased,

By SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, *jun.* & Co.

THE Subscriber intending for *England* early in the Spring, gives this last Notice, that unless those indebted to him settle to his Satisfaction immediately, he will, without Respect to Persons, put their Accounts into an Attorney's Hand to be recovered.

WILLIAM ROBERTS.

To be SOLD at public Outcry,

At the Vendue-House *in* CHARLES-TOWN,

On MONDAY *the 15th Day of* FEBRUARY *next*,

At Twelve o'Clock precisely,

The FOLLOWING LANDS,

Belonging to the Estate of JOHN JOOR, *Esquire, deceased, viz.*

THAT valuable Plantation on which the Deceased lived, containing about Three Hundred and Twenty Acres of Land, exceeding good for Corn, and Indico; pleasantly situated, having a full View of the Town of Dorchester, on which is a very convenient Dwelling-House, Kitchen, Wash-House, Store-House, Stable, and every convenient Out-House necessary, all in good Repair.

A Plantation in *Cypress-Swamp*, adjoining Lands of *William Sanders*, Esq; about Thirty one Miles from *Charles-Town*, containing Six Hundred Acres, old Measure, near one Half of which is Swamp, through which a Drain will soon be completed, and which will make it as safe and as valuable as most Lands in the Province; the high Land is good for Corn and Indico, and has on it an Overseer's House, Barn, and other necessary Out-Buildings, also a Set of Indico Vats, entirely new.

One Hundred and Thirteen Acres of hard Marsh Land, adjoining Lands of *Whitmarsh Fuller*, Esq; deceased, and the Ferry Causeway.

Part of a Lot in the Town of *Dorchester*, on which are two Rice Stores, with four Apartments in each, large enough to contain upwards of a Hundred Barrels.

A Tract of Land on *Pocotaligo Swamp*, containing Six Hundred Acres, adjoining Lands of *Rawlins Lowndes*, and *James Smith*, Esqrs. upwards of Two Hundred Acres of which is exceeding good Swamp, together with a Sufficiency of high Land for Provisions.

A Lot of Pine Land about four Miles from *Dorchester*, adjoining Lands of *Samuel Wainwright*, Esq; containing Forty five Acres.

Also a two Acre Lot in *Dorchester*, adjoining Lands of Mr. *Hugh Dowse*, deceased.

The Condition of the Sale is Twelve Months Credit, paying Interest from the Day of Sale, and giving approved Security.

*** All Persons indebted to the Estate, are desired to make immediate Payment; and all Persons to whom the Estate is indebted, are desired to send in their Accounts immediately, properly attested, unto JOHN JOOR, *Executor*.

N. B. An exceeding good PEW, in ST. GEORGE'S-CHURCH, DORCHESTER.

The FOLLOWING,

Being Part of the Estate of BENJAMIN SIMONS, Esq; deceased,

Will be SOLD at public Outcry,

In ST. THOMAS's *Parish*,

On TUESDAY *the Twenty-third of* FEBRUARY *next*,

(If a fair Day, if not, the first fair Day following)

On Twelve Months Credit for all Sums above One Hundred Pounds, paying Interest, with approved Security, viz.

A Valuable PLANTATION,

situated in the said Parish, containing 1659 Acres, more or less; about One Hundred and Seventy Acres of which is excellent Tide Swamp, all improved, and under good Bank.—On the said Plantation are, a large and commodious Dwelling-House, Kitchen, Store-Houses, Barns, two good Machines for pounding of Rice with Oxen, and every other necessary Building. The Plantation and the Improvements thereon, are so well known, as to need no further Description.

At the same Time and Place will also be SOLD,

THE Household-Furniture, Corn, Potatoe Seed; a Quantity of Plantation, Carpenters, Coopers, Curriers, and other useful Tools; Carts, Horses, Hogs, Sheep, and about One Hundred and Forty Head of tame Cattle, among which are Thirty Head of working Oxen; a Flat, a large Canow, &c.

*** The Plantation will be put up precisely at 12 o'Clock.

And, on Thursday *the 4th of* March *next*,

Precisely at NINE o'Clock,

Will also be Sold by public Outcry,

At Mr. *Gadsden's* Wharf, in *Charles-Town*,

Ninety-four valuable SLAVES,

Among which are, a good Driver, Cooks, Washers, Carpenters, Coopers, Shoe-Makers, a good Tanner and Currier, Sawyers, and handy Boys and Girls.——The Conditions of the Sale as above. The Property not to be altered until the Conditions are complied with.

BENJAMIN SIMONS, } *Executors.*
EDWARD SIMONS, }

N. B. The Sale of the Negroes will not be prevented by bad Weather, as they will be sold in a Store.

IT is *once more* requested, that all Persons having any Demands against the said Estate, will call for Payment by the Fourth of MARCH next, as, by the last Will and Testament, the Executors are obliged to make a Division of the Estate immediately after the Sale; and those indebted to the said Estate, are desired to make immediate Payment, as every Debt due to the Estate, which remains unpaid at the above Time, will be sued for without further Notice.

For SALE by private Contract,

A House and Lot in *Broad-Street*,

Near the *Exchange*, now occupied by Messrs. *Charnock & Hogg*,

Also, Three Lots of Land in *Colleton-Square*,

Each containing Fifty Feet in Front, and One Hundred in Depth.—On one of them is a very good Two-Story Brick House, with a Kitchen, Stable, &c. Apply to

John-Gabriel Guignard.